



The China Mail.

ESTABLISHED 1845

M. H. CHUA
PHOTOGRAPH
All Kinds of PHOTOGRAPH
PRINTS MADE IN LARGEST SIZES
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING A
PHOTOGRAPHER & SPECIALIST
54, QUEEN'S ROAD
CENTRAL.

No. 15,168.

號六月二十日一千九百一十一

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911.

日六月二十日

PRICE, \$3.00 Per Month.



This was started by the late Robert Thorne
of Scotland and has been sold since 1823.

SCOTCH WHISKY.
R. THORNE & SONS, LTD.
GREENOCK & LONDON.

SCOTCH WHISKY DISTILLERS, GREENOCK,
SCOTCH WHISKY DISTILLERS, GREENOCK,
SCOTCH WHISKY DISTILLERS, GREENOCK.

SOLE AGENTS IN HONG KONG, CHINA & MANILA
A. S. WATSON & CO. LTD.

CHINA MUTUAL LIFE INSUR-
ANCE CO., LTD.

HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAI.

O F F I C E R S

C. R. Burkill, Esq., Chairman.
A. J. Hughes, Esq., Managing Director.
S. B. Neill, Esq., F.I.A., Actuary.

A strong British Corporation Registered
under Hongkong Ordinances and under
Life Assurance Companies' Act, England.
Insurances in Force \$33,571,465.00.
Assets 9,372,930.00.
Income for Year 3,862,071.00.
Insurance Fund 9,520,050.00

LEFFERTS KNOX, Esq., Hongkong,
District Manager, Canton
2 W. TAPE, Esq., Macao and the
District Secretary, Philippines.

Alexandra Building.

C. Lawer, Esq., Inspector, Hongkong.

ADVISORY BOARD, HONGKONG

Sir Paul Chater, Kt., C.M.G.
T. F. Hough, Esq.—C. J. Lafrent, Esq.
Hongkong Nov. 6, 1911. 1424

VICTORIA SKATING RINK.

GRAND SPORTS
CARNIVAL,

on SATURDAY, December 9th,
AT 5 P.M.

RACES: 1 Mile, 2 Miles, 4 Miles.

LADIES NOMINATION RACE.

LADIES RIBBON RACE.

Football, Tug of War, and other
Specialties.

Hongkong, November 23, 1911. 1503

NOTICE

WE have authorized Ma O. I. ELLIS
to sign our Firm for prosecution in
Hongkong and China from this date.

E. D. SASSOON & CO.
Hongkong, November 30, 1911. 1530

HONGKONG RIFLE LEAGUE

Season 1911-1912.

A MEETING will be held at Volunteer
Headquarters (by permission of Lt.-
Col. Chapman) on THURSDAY, 7th
December, 1911, at 5.30 p.m.

The Services and Rifle Clubs are invited
to send representatives.

MOORBAY S. NORTHCOATE,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, December 1, 1911. 1537

MONEY AND SUCCESS.

DO you want these? If so, you must
speak English correctly. All nations
who have succeeded in commerce speak
English. By the new method you can
learn in 5 months. Private or Class
Lessons. English teachers only.

HOURS: 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.—3 P.M. to
6 P.M.—8 P.M. to 11 P.M.

For terms apply to
THE DIRECTOR,
SCHOOL OF ENGLISH,
2nd Floor, Alexandra Building,
Des Voeux Road,
Hongkong, December 1, 1911. 1535

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE
SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

SHEWAN, TOME & CO.,
GENERAL MANAGERS, HONGKONG.

J. T. HAMILTON, GENERAL MANAGER
FOR THE EAST, TOKYO.

Total Assets Dec. 31, 1910, \$144,715,923

Surplus 83,095,449

Dividends to Policyholders 18,575,167

Total paid Policyholders 1910 53,430,360

Total Expenses for 1910 10,932,058

Gross earnings from Investment
and Rent for 1910 11,646,528

Gross value of Income from
Investments 1910 1,487

Hongkong, May 26, 1911. 1531

Business Notices.

W. S. BAILEY & Co. Ltd.
Builders of Steamers up to 1000 Tons.
Tugs, Launches, Barges, Motor Boats.
Castings, Forgings, Roofs, Bridge Work and
Engineering Work and Repairs of
every description.
ONE STEAM-LAUNCH & ONE LIGHTER FOR SALE
Also complete pneumatic Riveting Plant.

TELEGRAM

Received on 11. 11. 11 from LONDON.

We beg to inform you ROYAL WARRANT AWARDED
our Company for Milk.

CONDENSED MILK.
MILKMAID STERILIZED NATURAL MILK.
EVAPORATED CREAM.
On Sale at All Stores.
TRADE MARK

MASSEY'S COMMERCIAL MAP & DIRECTORY.

To Advertisers, S.S. Companies & Captains
of Passenger Steamers.

In the interest of Advertisers and of the tra-
veiling Public, a copy of the above book for 1911 has
been sent free of charge to the Captain of EVERY
Passenger Steamer leaving or calling at Hongkong.

The following have already been supplied:

N. Y. A. 30 Mea. Mar. 13 T. K. K. 6 Douglas S.S. Co. 4
B. & S. 22 H.K.C. & M.S.S. Co. 11 C. P. R. 5 Mea. Capt. 9
P. & O. 18 U. S. K. 10 Apcar 5 J. J. & C. 13
Jardine, Matheson 18 Java China & Japan 8 Bank Line 4 Carlowitz & Co. 9
N. D. L. 15 Pacific Mail 7 Gibb, Li- 7 Philippines S.S. 8
vington 4 Co. 9

Captains of any other Passenger boats desiring copies please apply

K. A. MASSEY, HOTEL MANSIONS.

Hongkong, November 1, 1911. 1411

CANTON, MACAO AND WEST RIVER STEAMERS.

HONGKONG TO CANTON—Daily at 8 A.M. (Sunday excepted) and 10 A.M. (Saturday
excepted).

CANTON TO HONGKONG—Daily at 8 A.M. and 5 P.M. (Sunday excepted).

HONGKONG TO MACAO—Weekdays at 8 A.M. and 2 P.M.

Sundays at 7.30 A.M. and 3 P.M.

MACAO TO CANTON—Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, about 9 P.M.

CANTON TO MACAO—Every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 4.30 P.M.

CANTON TO WUCHOW—Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 8 A.M.

WUCHOW TO CANTON—Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 8.30 A.M.

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LTD.

HOTEL MANSIONS Opposite Hongkong Hotel.

12

CRUICKSHANK'S COUGH REMEDY.

A valuable Remedy for Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all Diseases of the
Chest and Lungs. Price \$1.00 per bottle.

CHILDREN'S COUGH MIXTURE.

Gives immediate relief. Price 60 cents per bottle.

MARTIN'S MIXTURE.

A specific for Inflammation, Hay Fever, Cold in the Head. Price \$1 per bottle.

PREPARED ONLY BY THE

VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

SINGON & CO. THE GRAND CARLTON HOTEL

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1880

JOHN, STEPHEN, and HARDY
SINGON, MERCHANTS, Wholesalers
and Retail Importers, Fig. 1, Lower
Flower, Caine, and Waterloo Streets,
Hongkong, and Shapemont Street,
Hongkong, and Flower, Caine, and Waterloo
Streets, Hongkong.

Telephone Address: GRAND.

Hongkong, September 4, 1911. 128

Business Notices.

**THE EASTERN ASBESTOS COMPANY,
HONGKONG.**

YANISH.

PAINT, VARNISH & ENAMEL REMOVER.

Removes even the oldest Paint in the shortest time, after it has been
applied to the surface.

NON-INFLAMMABLE, NON-POISONOUS, NON-INJURIOUS,

NON-EXPLOSIVE.

Does not injure Wood or Iron Work, and contains no Acid.

Office Show Room: 4, QUEEN'S BUILDING, CHATER ROAD.

TELEGRAMS: "CORRUGATED", HONGKONG. TELEPHONE NO. 501.

Agents:

**A. S. WATSON & Co.,
LIMITED.**

Hongkong

Dispensary,

Hongkong, October 2, 1911.



Business Notices.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

PORTLAND CEMENT

In Casks of 275 lbs. net.

In Bars of 225 lbs. net.

**Shewan, Tomes & Co.,
GENERAL MANAGERS.**

BALL SEASON 1911.

FAIRALL & CO.

ARE HAVING A FINE DISPLAY
OF THE

Newest Novelties

In Ball Goods,
GOWNS, DRESS MATERIALS, TRIMMINGS,
A VERY LARGE SELECTION
Flowers, Ribbons, Gloves, Laces, etc.

2 PEDDER STREET.

Telephone 644.

THE LEEDS FORGE CO., LTD., LEEDS.

Specialists in the Manufacture of RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK of every description.
Pioneers in the design and manufacture of
PRESSED STEEL UNDERFRAMES AND BOGIES AND ALL-STEEL
RAILWAY WAGGONS.

The Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents in Hongkong and China.

**The Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering
Co. of Hongkong, Ltd.,
AGENTS, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.**

Hongkong, October 3, 1911.

J. ULLMANN & CO. XMAS 1911.

NEW ARTISTIC JEWELLERY,
EVERYTHING IN THE LINE OF TIME-PIECES.

TASTEFUL PARISIAN ART GOODS.

SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE,
GRAMOPHONES, MUSICAL BOXES, etc., etc.

INSPECTION KINDLY INVITED.

Weismann, Limited.

Bakers, Confectioners, Caterers,
Restauranteurs.

14. DES VŒUX ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, July 20, 1911.

MACCREGOR'S V.O.S.

PARLIAMENT BLEND

SCOTCH WHISKY

AS SUPPLIED TO THE HOUSE OF LORDS AND
HOUSE OF COMMONS, LONDON, AND THE HOUSE
OF PARLIAMENT, OTTAWA, CANADA.

CALDBECK, MACCREGOR & CO.

WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

Intimations.

G. FALCONER & CO., LTD.,
WATCH-MAKERS, JEWELLERS AND OPTICIANS.

LARGE SELECTIONS OF
GOLD AND DIAMOND JEWELLERY.
GOLD AND SILVER ENGLISH WATCHES,
ENGLISH HALL MARKED SILVERWARE,
PRESENTATION PLATE, CUPS, BOWLS, ETC.
AGENTS FOR ROSS'S FAMOUS TELESCOPES AND BINOCULARS,
LORD KELVIN'S NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,
ADMIRALTY CHARTS AND NAUTICAL BOOKS,
AND THE EMPIRE TYPEWRITER & RIBBONS.

HOTEL MANSIONS: OPPOSITE NEW POST OFFICE.

WING KEE & CO.,
Nos. 47, 48 and 49, CONNAUGHT ROAD CENTRAL
SHIP-CHAMBERS, SAILMAKERS, PROVISION MERCHANTS, COAL
MERCHANTS, &c., &c., OF FIFTY YEARS STANDING
SHIP CAPTAINS ARE REQUESTED TO GIVE US A TRIAL.

FRANCISCO TSI YAT, General Manager.

Hongkong, August 12, 1911.

Intimations.

First, Last and
All the Time,
**JOHNNIE
WALKER**

is the same.

There can't possibly be any
decline in the consummate quality
and maturity of this premier
Scotch whisky. A perfect safe-
guard is provided in the shape
of a reserve stock of over three-
and-a-half million gallons of pure
malt Scotch whisky—the largest
aging reserve in the trade.

JOHNNIE WALKER White Label

Over 6 years old.

JOHNNIE WALKER Red Label

Over 12 years old.

JOHNNIE WALKER Black Label

Over 12 years old.



To be obtained from—
KAMP & CO., Shanghai.
PERIN COOPER & CO., Tientsin.
THE HANKOW DISPENSARY CO. LTD., Hankow.
SIEMSEN & CO., Canton and Hongkong.
JOHN WALKER & SONS LTD., SCOTCH WHISKY
DISTILLERS, KILMARNOCK, SCOTLAND.

FRIDAY,
Dec. 8th.
9.15 P.M.
Philharmonic Concert

BOOKING:
LANE, CRAWFORD, & CO.

Hongkong, November 14, 1911. 1512



NOTICE.

A DVERTISER sends FREE on application catalogues of French books on Occult science, Customs, History, Armour, Novels and 18th Century. Address: R. DABAGON, Bookseller, Publisher, 93, rue Blanche, Paris (France).

Hongkong, October 11, 1911. 1332

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.
GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

FURNITURE, Draperies, Groceries,
Boots and Shoes
Makers of Jewellery, Lacquers,
Crockery Ware,
Iron-mongery, Wine and Spirits,
Foreign Clothes for gentlemen made to
order by our own tailors.
Large assortment of Chinese Silks and
Foreign Goods of every description.
All goods sold at reasonable Prices.
The Cheapest and Best place in Canton to
buy Chinese and Foreign Goods.

SUP. PAT. POO STREET.

Tel. No. 1406. CANTON.

Canton, August 1, 1911. 978

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.

GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄) of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and

Foreign debts to a big amount. The manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN

CHUN (梁錦川) has fled to Hong-

king and his property at Chefoo, comprising

one house in the West of Kwangtung

Street, one in the North of Siu Tsz Ping

Street and one in Tung Shan, as well as

five more of land, have already been seized

by the Commercial Community and will be

converted into cash and divided among

both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both

Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby

requested not to be deceived or have any

transaction with LEUNG SIN CHUN in

respect of the above mentioned property

in compensation of their debts, as the com-

plaintions may be avoided.

THE COMMERCIAL COMMUNITY,

CANTON.

Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1541

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.

GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄) of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and

Foreign debts to a big amount. The manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN

CHUN (梁錦川) has fled to Hong-

king and his property at Chefoo, comprising

one house in the West of Kwangtung

Street, one in the North of Siu Tsz Ping

Street and one in Tung Shan, as well as

five more of land, have already been seized

by the Commercial Community and will be

converted into cash and divided among

both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both

Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby

requested not to be deceived or have any

transaction with LEUNG SIN CHUN in

respect of the above mentioned property

in compensation of their debts, as the com-

plaintions may be avoided.

THE COMMERCIAL COMMUNITY,

CANTON.

Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1541

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.

GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄) of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and

Foreign debts to a big amount. The manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN

CHUN (梁錦川) has fled to Hong-

king and his property at Chefoo, comprising

one house in the West of Kwangtung

Street, one in the North of Siu Tsz Ping

Street and one in Tung Shan, as well as

five more of land, have already been seized

by the Commercial Community and will be

converted into cash and divided among

both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both

Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby

requested not to be deceived or have any

transaction with LEUNG SIN CHUN in

respect of the above mentioned property

in compensation of their debts, as the com-

plaintions may be avoided.

THE COMMERCIAL COMMUNITY,

CANTON.

Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1541

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.

GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄) of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and

Foreign debts to a big amount. The manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN

CHUN (梁錦川) has fled to Hong-

king and his property at Chefoo, comprising

one house in the West of Kwangtung

Street, one in the North of Siu Tsz Ping

Street and one in Tung Shan, as well as

five more of land, have already been seized

by the Commercial Community and will be

converted into cash and divided among

both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both

Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby

requested not to be deceived or have any

transaction with LEUNG SIN CHUN in

respect of the above mentioned property

in compensation of their debts, as the com-

plaintions may be avoided.

THE COMMERCIAL COMMUNITY,

CANTON.

Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1541

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.

GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄) of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and

Foreign debts to a big amount. The manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN

CHUN (梁錦川) has fled to Hong-

king and his property at Chefoo, comprising

one house in the West of Kwangtung

Street, one in the North of Siu Tsz Ping

Street and one in Tung Shan, as well as

five more of land, have already been seized

by the Commercial Community and will be

converted into cash and divided among

both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both

Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby

requested not to be deceived or have any

transaction with LEUNG SIN CHUN in

respect of the above mentioned property

in compensation of their debts, as the com-

plaintions may be avoided.

THE COMMERCIAL COMMUNITY,

CANTON.

Hongkong, December 2, 1911. 1541

CHEN KWONG & CO., LTD.

GENERAL IMPORT & EXPORT.

NOTICE.

SHUN TAI FIRM (順泰庄) of Chefoo has closed owing Chinese and

Foreign debts to a big amount. The manager of the said Firm, LEUNG SIN

CHUN (梁錦川) has fled to Hong-

king and his property at Chefoo, comprising

one house in the West of Kwangtung

Street, one in the North of Siu Tsz Ping

Street and one in Tung Shan, as well as

five more of land, have already been seized

by the Commercial Community and will be

converted into cash and divided among

both Chinese and Foreign creditors. Both

Chinese and Foreign creditors are hereby

Sir Robert Burnett & Co.'s

CELEBRATED

OLD TOM GIN

DRY GIN

IMPORTED AND BOTTLED BY

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

Wine and Spirit Merchants,

ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS.

ESTABLISHED 70 YEARS.

'MOUTRIE'

PIANOS

HAVE NO EQUAL

For Beauty of Tone,

Perfection of Touch

and

Solidity of Construction.

PRICES from \$380.

GUARANTEED FOR
FIVE YEARS.

S. MOUTRIE & Co.,

LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 18, 1907

Powell's

Limited.

GRAND XMAS
BAZAAR

NOW OPEN

Splendid display

of

Toys, Games,
etc., etc.

INSPECTION INVITED.

John. Powell, Jr.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

265 QUEEN ROAD CENTRAL.

9.15 P.M. to 8.45 P.M. AND

9.15 P.M. to 11.15 P.M.

FRIDAY! FRIDAY!

THE GREAT PRICE FILM

After 10 Years, or 'The Golden Wedding.'

This Magnificent Picture was the Prize
at the

CINEMATOGRAPH EXPOSITION

Miss DAISY LUNDY

PRIMA DONNA OF OPERA

IN CHARMING SINGING

MAGISTER

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY,

OF 4 P.M.

POLICE PIKE STONED.

The spirit of rowdism among the Chinese of the Colony still continues, as was evidenced last night when the police pike which patrolled the street, was subjected to hostile demonstrations. While passing along Des Vaux Road stones were thrown on two different occasions, but no arrests could be made owing to the fact that the stone-throwers were located at the top of high Chinese tenements, and if the premises were even surrounded they could easily make good their escape. Later on, however, a youth was caught in Queen's Road, near the Central Hotel. He had thrown a basin at the pike from the street and the act was witnessed by a Chinese detective who was following up making observations, and who speedily arrested him. This morning he was brought before Mr. E. A. Irving, at the Magistracy. Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, who prosecuted, asked that the offender be severely punished, suggesting that he be sent to prison and given twelve strokes with the "cat" at the beginning of the term of incarceration and another twelve at the end. His Worship, however, said as this was his first offence he would impose a sentence of two months' hard labour and one whipping of twelve strokes with the "cat."

BY TELEGRAPH. BY TELEGRAPH.

[COPYRIGHT.]

ALLEGED
ESPIONAGE
AT
PORTSMOUTH.BY TELEGRAPH.
[CONTINUED.]
FRENCH
GENERALS
CENSURED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

Reuter's correspondent at Paris wires that the Minister for War, M. Massin, has censured and takes action against General Succio and General Pelacot, at present commanding in China, for applying certain funds to outside purposes including improvements in connection with headquarters at Tientsin.

ITALY AND TURKEY.

TURKS ATTACK BY NIGHT.

The Turks made a night attack on Port Bengasi on the 3rd inst., surprising the garrison.

A number of Arabs crowded into the garrison and were instantly killed.

The Turks were repulsed after severe loss. Three Italians were killed and five wounded.

A fresh night attack took place on the 4th inst. when the Turks were again heavily repulsed.

THE DURBAR.
THEIR MAJESTIES LEAVE
FOR DELHI.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

Their Majesties the King and Queen visited Elephants and subsequently left for Delhi at 10.45 p.m.

THE GREAT FIRE.

LITER.

Reuter's correspondent at Delhi telegraphs that during a full dress rehearsal of the state entry into Delhi smoke was seen ascending from the fort.

It is proved that the fire has absolutely destroyed the magnificent tent when His Majesty the King was to receive the Indian Princes.

The tent is irreplaceable. The fire caused a great sensation and is likely to upset the elaborate programme arranged for the Durbar.

The cause of the fire is unknown.

THE LOS ANGELOS
SENSATION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

The confessions of the brothers Macnamara in regard to the dynamite explosion at the Times office at Los Angeles has produced an immense sensation throughout America.

The prosecuting counsel declares that the Federal State authorities are cooperating to uncover the most gigantic conspiracy ever conceived in America, and asserts that Mr. Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labour, must have been cognizant of the guilt of the Macnamara brothers before they confessed.

The Federal Grand Jury has started investigations in Indianapolis, which was apparently the headquarters of the Macnamara gang, with a view to discovering the persons really responsible.

Meanwhile the Labour Unions throughout the country are disavowing the Macnamara brothers and are demanding that the death sentence should be imposed.

PRISONERS SENTENCED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

James Macnamara has been sentenced to imprisonment for life while his brother John was sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment.

WHOOPING COUGH.

WHOOPING COUGH is not dangerous when the cough is kept loose and the expectation easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has been used in many epidemics of this disease with perfect success. For sale by all Chemists and Druggists.

A telegram received from the Manila Observatory on Dec. 10 a.m. to-day states: "Manila - December 6th. Cyclone or typhoon N. W. of Yap moving N. or W. N. W."

Fresh attractions are still being provided at the Bijou Scenic Theatre. Tomorrow night Miss Eileen Murray, who comes with a splendid reputation, will make her debut. A full house is anticipated.

The Brewhouse is Germans.

The raw materials are all imported from Germany and Bavaria.

But the water used is from a famous Spring in Yokohama, noted not only for its absolute purity and softness but for its curative properties for Dyspepsia and other kindred diseases.

Kirin Beer is a Household word in Palaces, Embassies and the Foreign Residences in Japan, and has been awarded the Highest Medals wherever exhibited.

Pr. per case 4 Doz. Quarts. ... \$12.00.

per case 6 Doz. Pints ... \$12.00.

SOLE AGENTS:

H. Price & Co., Ltd.,

12, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

TELEGRAMS: No. 169.

Telephone: 1421.

HONGKONG-NEW YORK.

REGULAR SAILINGS via PORTS and SUEZ CANAL

(WITH LIBERTY TO CALL AT MALABAR COAST).

FOR BOSTON AND NEW YORK:

For Freight & further particulars, apply to

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS

TAKING Cargo on through Bills of Lading to SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS

with transhipment at CALCUTTA, in conjunction with the

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

AND "APCAR" LINE.

Proposed Sailings from Hongkong

Steamers from Hongkong	On or about	Connecting at Calcutta with	On or about
HUMSANG	18th Dec.		
G. APCAR	18th Dec.		
LIGHTNING	23rd Dec.	UMHLOPI	17th January
KUTSANG	27th Dec.		

For Freight and further particulars apply to

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

WILLIAM BRIGGS & SONS, LTD.,

DUNDEE.

BITUMINOUS PAINT and
ENAMEL.

THE WORLD'S BEST AND CHEAPEST.

ANTI-CORROSIVE FOR IRON AND STEEL.

Used on the Forth and Tay Bridges.

DODWELL & Co., Ltd.,
Sole Agents.OREGON PINE
LUMBER.

LARGE STOCK OF ALL SIZES ON HAND.

The British Wood Preservative

"ANTHROL"

Destroys WHITE ANTS and prevents decay.

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

UNION WATERBOAT CO., LTD.,
CONTRACTORS TO HIS MAJESTY'S NAVY.The above Company supply Pure, Fresh Water at the Shortest Notice
either for Deck or Engine Room use.

Orders for Supplies will be received at the Company's Office.

QUEEN'S BUILDINGS, HONGKONG.

DODWELL & CO., LTD.,
GENERAL MANAGERS.

TELEPHONE No. 41.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

(ESTABLISHED 1828).

This old-established and world-renowned Company issues policies under all the best and modern methods of Life Assurance to meet varying circumstances.

For prospectus and full particulars apply to

DODWELL & CO., LTD., Agents.

KIRIN BEER.

A VERY LIGHT LAGER.

You may call it the Leading Japanese Beer or a Good German Lager.

The Brewmasters are Germans.

The raw materials are all imported from Germany and Bavaria.

But the water used is from a famous Spring in Yokohama, noted not only for its absolute purity and softness but for its curative properties for Dyspepsia and other kindred diseases.

Kirin Beer is a Household word in Palaces, Embassies and the Foreign Residences in Japan, and has been awarded the Highest Medals wherever exhibited.

Pr. per case 4 Doz. Quarts. ... \$12.00.

per case 6 Doz. Pints ... \$12.00.

SOLE AGENTS:

H. Price & Co., Ltd.,

12, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

TELEGRAMS: No. 169.

Telephone: 1421.

H. Price & Co., Ltd.,

12, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

PROPRIETORS

D. & J. McCALLUM EDINBURGH.

12, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

TELEGRAMS: No. 169.

Telephone: 1421.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911.

THE CHINA MAIL.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[CORNWALL.]
THE INSURANCE BILL.

AMENDMENTS REJECTED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, December 5.

In the House of Commons the report stage of the Insurance Bill was concluded. The House rejected a Unionist amendment to graduate contributions according to wages, by 173 to 105. The Liberal amendment to reduce the contribution to Territories was rejected by 166 to 89. An amendment by Mr Ramsay Macdonald to reduce the contributions of workmen and employers by a penny was rejected by 189 to 156. Messrs. Goldman and Forster, Unionists, supported Mr Ramsay Macdonald's amendment. Mr Lloyd George said the reduction of one penny would convert an estimated surplus of £1,800,000 into a deficit of £1,200,000.

THE REVOLUTION.

A THREAT TO GERMAN FIRMS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
London, Dec. 5.

Reuter's Shanghai correspondent states that German firms there have been anonymously threatened with death if they supply Imperialists with munitions.

PROSPECTS OF SETTLEMENT.

LATER.
(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

Reuter's Peking correspondent wire that through the mediation of the British Consul at Hankow an armistice has been proclaimed during which bases of agreement will be discussed.

H. E. Yuan Shih-kai believes that the situation is clearing, and while he is working for peace through Hankow, Tang Shao-ji, whose headquarters are at Tientsin, is making similar endeavours in North China.

PRINCE REGENT TO ABDICATE.

The Times' Peking correspondent states that the Prince Regent, who has hitherto been the chief obstacle to a settlement, is prepared to abdicate.

THE RUSSO-PERSIAN CRISIS.

APPEAL TO WORLD'S PARLIAMENTS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

London, Dec. 5.

Reuter's Teheran correspondent states that the Mofussil has sent cablesgrams appealing especially to the British House of Commons and the Duma and generally to the world's parliaments in connection with the action of Russia. The women are most active in demonstrations and processions, and are haranguing crowds in the mosque squares and smashing windows in order to enforce a Russian boycott. The Persian Women's Society has wired to the Suffragists Committee in London asking the help of the English women.

LATER.

In the House of Commons, Mr Acland replying to a question, said Britain has made representations to Russia on the subject of her demand for an indemnity from Persia.

TROUBLE IN MACEDONIA.

MOSQUE BLOWN UP.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

London, December 5.

Reuter's Constantinople correspondent cables that Bulgarian revolutionaries have blown up a mosque in the town of Ishtib, in Macedonia, with dynamite. Twelve persons were killed and thirteen wounded.

APPEAL TO THE POWERS.

The Porte, in a circular to the Powers, draws attention to the outrages in Macedonia and to the renewed activity of the Macedonian-Bulgarian revolutionary organisation.

— The Porte has appealed to the Powers, urging them to respect the independence of Persia.

THE "KUALA" WRECK.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

London, December 5.

Lloyd's agent at Aden cables that the steamer "Kuala," which was wrecked at Socotra, has been deserted by the crew. The wreck has been plundered of everything removable and only the hull now remains.

BY TELEGRAPH.

[CORNWALL.]

THE INSURANCE BILL.

OPPOSITION AMENDMENT.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

On the third reading of the Insurance Bill, Mr Forster will move the following Opposition amendment: "While approving of the objects of national insurance, the House is of opinion that under the Bill public funds and individual contributions will not be used to the best advantage of those most closely affected, as the Bill has neither been adequately discussed by the House nor fully explained to the country. As it would in its present form be unequal in operation, steps should be taken to enable further consideration to be given the measure next session and to have draft regulations published in the meantime."

STANDARD OIL COMPANY.

MR JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER RESIGNS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 6.

Mr John D. Rockefeller has resigned the Presidency and Directorship of the Standard Oil Company.

He will be succeeded by Mr Archbold. The majority of the other officers and directors have also resigned.

THE AUSTRIAN ARMY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 5.

A message from Vienna states that General Schenna has succeeded General Hottendorf as Chief of the General Staff of the Austrian Army.

OPIUM CONFERENCE.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 5.

The Times' correspondent at the Hague states that the programme committee of the Opium Conference has drafted eight resolutions dealing with opium. They generally follow the basis laid down at the Shanghai Conference, but in deference to Portugal and her interests at Macao, it has been decided to treat boiled opium as distinct from raw opium. Separate resolutions will be drafted dealing with morphine, cocaine and hashish.

FAMOUS RACE-HORSE

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 5.

The famous race-horse Isinglass has died suddenly at Cleveley.

[Note.—Isinglass, a horse owned by Mr D. McCalmont, ran with great success both as a two-year-old in 1892 and a three-year-old in 1893. In the former year he won the Ascot New Stakes and the Middle Park Plate and in 1893 the Derby, the Two Thousand Guineas and the St. Leger. In 1894 he got the Prince of Wales' Stakes (Newmarket), the Eclipse Stakes (Sandown Park) and the Jockey Club Stakes; while in 1895 he won the Ascot Gold Cup.—Ed. C.M.]

ANGLO-GERMAN RELATIONS.

REPLY TO SIR EDWARD GREY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 5.

In the Reichstag, Dr. Bethmann Hollweg, the Imperial Chancellor, made a long and temperate statement replying to Sir Edward Grey's recent speech in the House of Commons. He said Germany's action was prompted by the Anglo-French disposition to settle the Morocco question by themselves, and if this had occasioned British warlike preparations Germany was not responsible for it. He gladly shared Sir Edward Grey's hope for better Anglo-German relations, but these were only attainable if British policy showed some positive evidence of goodwill.

DOOM OF THE TRUSTS.

PRESIDENT TAFT'S DECLARATION.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 5.

President Taft, in his message to Congress, which is confined to the subject of Trusts, emphasizes the efficacy of the decisions of the Courts in breaking up the Standard Oil, the Tobacco and other Standard Trusts. He points out that there is nothing to prevent combinations for the sole purpose of combining administration or plant, and recommends the establishment of a Federal Commission which shall closely supervise the issue of stock, bonds, or to which combinations could submit their plans for future business.

Pure =
Drugs

and a practical knowledge of their properties, are the two chief essentials in the business of the

MODERN & UP-TO-DATE

CHEMIST &
DRUGGIST.

We use none but the purest Drugs obtainable, and have an experience of many years.

Physicians' Prescriptions
Carefully made up.

PATENT MEDICINES.

WE WANT and if care and attention will ensure it, will have Your Confidence.

WATKINS, Ltd.

CHEMISTS &
DRUGGISTS.

Aerated Water Manufacturers.

81, Queen's Road Central.

Public Phone, No. 492.

Lane, -

Crawford

& Co. -

JUST ARRIVED

Malaga Muscatels.

Carlsbad Plums.

Smyrna Figs.

Valencia Raisins.

Zante Currants.

Turkey Sultanas.

AND

CANDIED

PEEL,

ALSO

STILTON

CHEESE

WHOLE or in JARS.

LANE, CRAWFORD
& CO.

Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1911.

THE CHINA MAIL.

Whiteaway's Toys Bazaar

All the Latest Novelties in TOYS for Children of All Ages.

DOLLS

HANDSOMELY DRESSED IN THE LATEST FASHION.

A Very Large Selection

At 50 cents, 65 cents, 75 cents, \$1.00,
\$1.10, \$1.75, \$2.75, \$3.75, \$5.00,
\$5.75, \$7.00, \$8.50, \$10.00,
\$15.00, and \$16.00.

BE SURE TO SEE THE
CAMPBELL KIDS. Price \$5.50.

Mr Jollyboy

An Expert Clog Dancer. Prices \$2.00 and \$2.75.

Clockwork Trains

With Engine, Coaches and complete Set of Rails. Each in a neat Box.

Prices: 75 cents, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.75.

PER BOX OF TWELVE.

CRACKERS

Containing Caps, Toys, Jewels, Musical Instruments, etc.

PRICES: 35 cents, 45 cents, 50 cents,

75 cents, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85,

\$2.25, and \$2.75.

PER BOX OF TWELVE.

We Invite You to come and See, and bring the Children.

Whiteaway, Laidlaw & Co., Ltd., 25, Des Vœux Road.

Hotels

To Let.

TO LET.

COMFORTABLE FURNISHED

APARTMENTS with or without

board in nice semi-detached residence.

English furniture, electric light, tennis,

every convenience. Suit BACHELOR or

MARRIED COUPLE. Or half house

(three rooms) could be let as independent

FURNISHED FLAT.

Write: "CORNWALL,"

c/o "CHINA MAIL" Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1911. 1502

TO LET.

RAGSIDE, BARKER ROAD, finished for ten months, from

13 next; tennis court.

Apply to A. H. SKELTON,

Care of Lane, Crawford & Co.,

Hongkong, November 30, 1911. 1502

TO LET.

NEW & COMMODIOUS SHOPS, NATHAN

ROAD, KOWLOON, immediately possessible.

Cheap Rental.

Apply to HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE

Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, March 23, 1909. 403

TO BE LET.

On or about 1st March, 1912.

SHOPS and OFFICE, in Annexes

Buildings, adjoining the Hongkong

Dispensary, at present occupied by Mr

Wm. Powell, L.D.

Shipping.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on or about the DATES named:

FOR STEAMERS	TO SAIL	REMARKS
HIMALAYA	7th Dec.	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI	7th Dec.	Special
LONDON, VIA USUAL PORTS	ASAYE	Noon, 9th.
OF CALL	Capt. D. C. GREGOR, R.N.	Advertisement
LONDON & ANTWERP	ASAYE	Noon, December.
VIA S. F. PORTS, CHINA	PAHALAN	About
PORT SAD & MARSEILLE	Capt. R. E. FREE	Freight and Passage.
SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, NOME	NOME	About
AND TOKOHAMA	Capt. G. PHILLIPS	Freight and Passage.
15th Dec.		

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO'S.

ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE.

EXPRESS LINE.

Between China, Japan and Europe, via Canada and the United States, calling at Shanghai, Nagasaki (through the Island Sea of Japan) Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and Vancouver, B.C.

The only Line that maintains a Regular Schedule Service of

12 DAYS TOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER.

SAVING 5 TO 7 DAYS OCEAN TRAVEL.

S.S. "MONTEAGLE" Calls at MOJI instead of Nagasaki.

Proposed Sailing from Hongkong and St. John.

(Subject to Alteration).

Connecting with Royal Mail Atlantic Steamers.

From Hongkong:

From St. John.

MONTEAGLE

SATURDAY, 30th DEC.

EMPERESS OF INDIA

1912

EMPERESS OF IRELAND

1912

SATURDAY, 27th JAN.

EMPERESS OF JAPAN

1912

EMPERESS OF IRELAND

1912

SATURDAY, 24th FEB.

FRIEY, 22nd MAR.

Steamers have Hongkong at 7 A.M.

All steamers of the Company's Pacific fleet and passenger steamers of the Atlantic fleet are equipped with the Marconi wireless apparatus.

Each Trans-Pacific "Empress" connects at Vancouver with a Mail Express Train and at St. John with Atlantic Mail Steamer as shown above. The "Empress of Britain" and "Empress of Ireland" are magnificent vessels of 14,500 tons, speed 20 knots, and are regarded as second to none on the Atlantic.

Passengers booked to all the principal points in Canada, the United States and the World.

HONGKONG TO LONDON, 1st Class, via Canadian Atlantic Port or New York (including Mail and Liner in Sleeping Cabin) while crossing the American Continent by Canadian Pacific Fleet, £71.10.

Passengers for Europe, have option of going forward by any Trans-Atlantic Line either from Canadian Ports or from New York, £70.

SPECIAL THROUGH-SERVICES (First Class only) are granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services of China and Japan Governments. Full particulars on application to Agents.

Through Passengers are allowed "Stop Over" privileges at the various points of interest on route.

H. M. S. "MONTEAGLE" carries only "One Class" of Saloon Passengers (termed Intermediates), the accommodation and commissariat being excellent in every way.

HONGKONG TO LONDON, Intermediate on Steamers and 1st Class on Canadian and American Railways, 2nd Class on Atlantic.

Via Canadian Atlantic Port, £43.

For further information, Maps, Guide Books, Rates of Passage and Freight, apply to D. W. CHADDOCK, General Traffic Agent, Corner Fetter Street and Praya (opposite Blake Pier).

NIPPONYUSENKAISHA

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.)

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION

DESTINATIONS.

STEAMERS.

SAILING DATES.

MARSEILLE, LONDON, HITACHI MARU, WEDNESDAY, 6th

AND ANTWERP, VIA CAPT. T. Yamawaki, Tons 7000 Dec. at Daylight

SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO AND PORT SAID.

WEDNESDAY, 20th CAPT. T. Murai, Tons 9000 Dec. at Daylight

KAWACHI MARU, WEDNESDAY, 21st CAPT. Cope, Tons 7000 Dec. at Daylight

VICTORIA, B.C. AND SEATTLE, VIA SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, TUESDAY, 2nd CAPT. K. Noda, Tons 7000 Jan. at Noon

INABA MARU, FRIDAY, 8th CAPT. S. Tomimura, Tons 7000 Dec. at Noon

TAMBA MARU, TUESDAY, 2nd CAPT. K. Noda, Tons 7000 Jan. at Noon

S. KAMAKURA MARU, SATURDAY, 30th CAPT. B. Kon, Tons 7000 Dec. from KOBE

SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, NIKKO MARU, THURSDAY, 1st CAPT. M. Yagi, Tons 6000 Dec. at Noon

DAY ISLAND, TOWNS, KUMANO MARU, FRIDAY, 19th CAPT. M. Winckler, Tons 6000 Jan. at Noon

VILLE AND BRISBANE, COLOMBO MARU, WEDNESDAY, 6th CAPT. J. Tarnaka, Tons 5000 Dec. at Noon

KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA, YO MARU, THURSDAY, 7th CAPT. R. Takeda, Tons 7000 Dec. at 11 a.m.

BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE, AND COLOMBO, CEYLON MARU, TUESDAY, 12th CAPT. T. Tomiwa, Tons 6000 Dec. at Noon

NAGASAKI, KOBE AND KUMANO MARU, WEDNESDAY, 20th CAPT. M. Winckler, Tons 6000 Dec. at Noon

Fitted with new system of wireless telegraphy.

Cargo only. * Carries Deck Passengers.

NEW LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN KOBE & CALCUTTA.

Regular fortnightly Service from KOBE to CALCUTTA calling at HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG & RANGOON.

The next Steamer from Hongkong—

TINSEN MARU, Tons 4000 CAPT. Macris, on December 4th

1912 PASSENGER SEASON 1912 FOR EUROPE.

Ships.

TANJO MARU, 8000 Tons, CAPT. K. Kawata, from Hongkong, Feb. 14th

KAMO MARU, 8000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, Feb. 15th

AKI MARU, 9000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, March 1st

MISHIMA MARU, 9000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, March 1st

KAGA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

ATSUTA MARU, 9000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

HITACHI MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

MITAKI MARU, 9000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

INABA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

TAMBA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

ANADA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

TOKIO MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

INADA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 1st

For further information as to Freight, Sailing, &c., apply to T. KUSUMOTO, Manager.

M. N. V. I. BOB SEATTLE.

INABA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 21st

TAMBA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 21st

ANADA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 21st

TOKIO MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 21st

INADA MARU, 7000 Tons, CAPT. T. Tomimura, April 21st

For further information as to Freight, Sailing, &c., apply to T. KUSUMOTO, Manager.

M. N. V. I. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

IN CONJUNCTION WITH

Deutsche Dampfschiffahrtsgesellschaft "HANSA"

REGULAR SAILINGS FROM JAPAN, CHINA, AND PHILIPPINES,

VIA STRAITS AND COLOMBO,

TO HAVRE, BREMEN AND HAMBURG, AND TO NEW YORK.

TAKING Cargo at through Rates to all European, North Continental and British Ports, also Trieste, Lisbon, Oporto, Marseilles, Genoa, and other Mediterranean, Levantine, Black Sea and Baltic Ports, and North and South American Ports.

NEXT SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG

Outward.

For Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama

S.S. DOORTMUND, 11th Dec.

S.S. SEGOVIA, 13th Dec.

S.S. SILESIA, 1st Jan.

S.S. AMBRIA, 10th Jan.

S.S. GOLDENFELD, 27th Jan.

S.S. PREUSSEN, 8th Feb.

For further information as to Freight, Sailing, &c., apply to T. KUSUMOTO, Manager.

M. N. V. I. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, HONGKONG OFFICE.

Shipping.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL S. S. COMPANY.

SEMI-TROPICAL ROUTE.

Only line taking the warm Southern Route across the Pacific, via Formosa, the most fertile and beautiful island of the Pacific.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

STEAMERS	SAILING DATES
MONGOLIA	27,000 Tons, SATURDAY, 16th Dec.
KOREA	18,000 Tons, FRIDAY, 12th Jan.
SIBERIA	27,000 Tons, SATURDAY, 10th Feb.
MONGOLIA	27,000 Tons, SATURDAY, 2nd Mar.
KOREA	18,000 Tons, DAY, 2nd Apr.
SIBERIA	18,000 Tons, DAY, 16th Apr.

* Twin Screw.

All Steamers have an Excellent Philippine Stringed Orchestra for the entertainment of passengers and are equipped with Wireless Telegraphy.

The s.s. MONGOLIA will be despatched for San Francisco, via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, on SATURDAY, the 16th December, at 1 p.m.

FARES: Hongkong to London £71. 10. 0. Return six months £120.

24 months £135, including Birth and Meals across America.

SPECIAL RATES (First Class only) Granted upon Application.

To European Ports, Officials of any European Naval, Military, Diplomatic, Consular and/or Civil Services located in Asia, to European Officials in the Services of the Government of China and Japan, to United States Points, Commissioned Officers of the United States Army, Navy, U.S. P.H. & M.H. Services, or Ports of call, also all Officers of U.S. Consular Service, U.S. Consul Generals, Consuls and Vice-Consuls located in Asia, to the United States and Canadian Points, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Consular Services of the Governments of China and Japan. Between China, Japan, Manila to U.S. Diplomatic Service, U.S. Consul Generals, Consuls and Vice-Consuls located in Asia, also Commissioned Officers of U.S. Army, Navy, and U.S. P.H. & M.H. Services. These Special Rates apply when travelling at their expense and to their families. To all points—Missionaries and their families.

SALOON SERVICE is furnished at Intermediate Rates.

INTERMEDIATE SERVICE.

Persia 9,000 Tons, FRIDAY, 5th Jan., at 1 p.m.

China 10,200 Tons, FRIDAY, 2nd Feb., at 1 p.m.

The s.s. PERSIA will leave for San Francisco, via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, on FRIDAY, January 5th, at 1 p.m.

On the FINE MAIL Steamers, CHINA and PERSIA First Class

SALOON SERVICE is furnished at Intermediate Rates.

INTERMEDIATE SERVICE.

Persia 9,000 Tons, FRIDAY, 5th Jan., at 1 p.m.

China 10,200 Tons, FRIDAY, 2nd Feb., at 1 p.m.

The s.s. PERSIA will leave for San Francisco, via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, on FRIDAY, January 5th, at 1 p.m.

Through Bills of Lading

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1911.

THE CHINA MAIL.

Shipping.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

HOMeward PASSENGER SEASON 1912.
PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS

FOR MARSEILLES & LONDON,

TAKING PASSENGERS ALSO FOR
LOMO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c.

THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

STEAMERS to COLOMBO	Leave HONGKONG	Connecting Steamers from COLOMBO to MARSEILLES and LONDON	Due MARCH (London 1 day later)	Due PLYMOUTH (London 1 day later)
Steamer Tons 1 p.m. Sat'day	Steamer Tons Saturday	Steamer Tons Friday		
ASSAYE 7500 Feb. 3	MANTUA 11000 March 2	MANTUA 11000 March 8		
HIMALAYA 7000 Feb. 17	MACEDONIA 10500 March 16	MACEDONIA 10500 March 22		
DELHI 8000 March 2	MOREA 11000 March 30	MOREA 11000 April 5		
INDIA 8000 March 18	Through Steamer	Through Steamer April 13	April 18	
DEVANHA 8000 March 30	MOLDAVIA 11000 April 27	MOLDAVIA 11000 May 1	May 17	
DELTA 8000 April 18	MALOJA 13000 April 27	MALOJA 13000 May 25	May 31	
ASSAYE 7500 April 27	MONGOLIA 10000 May 25	MONGOLIA 10000 June 8	June 14	
DELHI 8000 May 11	MALWA 11000 June 8	MALWA 11000 June 14		

Passengers change Steamers at COLOMBO, with exception of a.s. "INDIA" and those for BRINDISI transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at PORT SAID. Accommodation in the connecting Steamer from COLOMBO is definitely reserved in Hongkong at the time of booking.

FARES TO LONDON.

1st SALOON £71.10 SINGLE £108.14 RETURN.
2nd " 248.8 " 73.19 "

IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE MAIL STEAMERS

INTERMEDIATE (NON-TRANSHIPMENT) STEAMERS

WILL LEAVE FOR

LONDON, CARRYING 1ST AND 2ND SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES.

PROPOSED SAILINGS:

STEAMERS	Leave HONGKONG	Due LONDON
NYANZA 7000	about February	about March 22
NILE 7000	March 5	April 10
NUBLA 6000	April 3	May 17
SUMATRA 5000	April 17	May 31
BAHRI 7000	May 15	June 14
PALAWAN 5000	May 29	July 13
BORNEO 5000	May 29	July 13
SYRIA 7000	June 12	July 27
NORE 7000	June 26	August 10

These Steamers call also at SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, and at MARSEILLES

FARE TO LONDON.

1st SALOON £55.00 SINGLE £82.10 RETURN.

2nd " 238.10 " 207.4 "

For further particulars apply to

E. A. HEWETT,
Superintendent.MESSAGERIES MARITIMES
FRENCH MAIL LINES.FORTNIGHTLY SERVICE TO AND FROM EUROPE
Via SUEZ CANALFORTNIGHTLY SERVICE TO AND FROM JAPAN,
Via SHANGHAI.

STEAMERS CAPTAIN TO SAL.

SHANGHAI, KORE AND CALEDONIA, MELVILLE, Dec. 18, about 5 P.M.

YOKOHAMA, ARMAND-BEHIC, LAFONT, Dec. 19, at 1 P.M.

MARSEILLES, VIA PORTS, TRANSRAPID, COLOMBO, FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, ED. AUSTRALIA, AT PORT SAID FOR THE LEVANT, CYPRUS, EGYPT AND BLACK SEA.

Through Tickets to LONDON, VIA PARS, FROM £27.10 UP TO £71.10, 20 hours railway from MARSEILLES to LONDON. Interpreters meet passengers on their arrival in MARSEILLES.

For further particulars apply to

P. THOMAS, Agent,
QUEEN'S BUILDING.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

HONGKONG-SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS.

HIGHEST-CLASS, fastest and most luxurious Steamers on the Coast, having splendid accommodation for First-Class Passengers. Electric Light. Excellent Cuisine.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW
AND RETURN.

(Occupying 9 to 10 Days).

STEAMERS CAPTAIN LEAVING.

HAIYANG Capt. J. W. Evans FRIDAY, 8th Dec., at 11 A.M.
HAIKAN Capt. J. S. Roach TUESDAY, 12th Dec., at 11 A.M.
HAICHING Capt. W. C. Passmore, FRIDAY, 16th Dec., at 11 A.M.

FOR SWATOW AND RETURN

(Occupying 3 Days).

Steamers will arrive at and depart from, the Company's Wharf near Blake Pier.

For Freight and Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & CO.,
General Managers.PHILIPPINES STEAM-
SHIP CO.BOSTON, MASS., 1400 S. Croxley, Manila, Manila, Manila & Cebu, Dec. 11, at 4 P.M.
LAWIPO, 6000 M. O. Smith, Manila, Manila, Manila & Cebu, Dec. 21, at 6 P.M.

For Freight and Passage, apply to

Shewan, Tomes & Co., General Managers.

Shipping.

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED.

REGULAR SERVICE FROM HONGKONG TO
VANCOUVER, B.C., SEATTLE & PORTLAND (Or.),
via SHANGHAI and JAPAN PORTS.
Carrying Cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Overland Common Points.

STEAMER	Tons	CAPTAIN	ON OR ABOUT
RYGA	8,000	—	10th December.

To be followed by other steamers of the Company at regular intervals.
The BANK LINE Steamers are of the Newest Design, have most comfortable Accommodation and are fitted throughout with Electric Light and Wireless Telegraphy.Special Parcel Express to American and Canadian Points.
Will call at AMOY and KIELUNG if sufficient inducement offers.

For Rates of Freight or Passage apply to

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED,
KING'S BUILDING, PRINCE'S COURT.

TELEPHONE No. 780.

TELEGRAMS: "THE BANK LINE".

Shipping.

P. & O.
Steam Navigation Co.

HOMeward PASSENGER SEASON 1912.

S.S. "INDIA" (8,000 TONS)

CAPTAIN G. W. GORDON, R.N.R.

THIS THROUGH MAIL STEAMER FOR MARSEILLES AND LONDON
DIRECT, WILL LEAVE HONGKONG ON MARCH 16TH, 1912, CALLING
AT STRAITS, COLOMBO, ADEN, EGYPT, MARSEILLES AND GIBRALTAR,
AND IS DUE TO ARRIVE ATMARSEILLES APRIL 13TH
LONDON APRIL 30TH.

The Accommodation in this Vessel is at the entire disposal of Passengers from the Far East.

FARES TO LONDON.—
1st, SALOON £71.10 SINGLE £108.14 RETURN.

2nd, " 248.8 " 73.19 "

For Further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, September 1, 1911.

111.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

STEAMER AUSTRALIEN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNERS of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of Hock's Wharf at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th day will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 11th inst., at 9.30 a.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be counter-signed by DODWELL & CO., LTD.

Hongkong, December 5, 1911.

112.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

STEAMER AUSTRALIEN.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNERS of Cargo from LONDON, via Brest, from Havre or s.s. Bretton & Basse from BORDEAUX or s.s. Ville de Dunkerque, in connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasures and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on the Underwritten or on the Consignee's behalf, unless Indication is received from the Consignee before Noon, To-day, requesting to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be counter-signed by the Underwritten and Goods remaining undelivered after the 11th December, as from the 1st of January, subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me as soon as possible by the 15th December, or they will not be recognized.

All damaged packages will be examined on the 11th December, 1912.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

P. THOMAS, Agent.

Hongkong, December 4, 1911.

113.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

THE Steamer KLEISI.

Having arrived, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasures and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra-hazardous Godowns of the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th day will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 7th of December, at 9.30 a.m.

All claims must reach me before the 12th of December, 1912, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be counter-signed by the Underwritten.

This steamer brings on cargo.

Ex.s.s. Thermopyla from Smyrna.

Ex.s.s. Orosco from Venice.

Ex.s.s. Barbarigo from Venice.

Ex.s.s. Akyakound from Zanzibar.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

General Agents.

Hongkong, November 30, 1911.

114.

BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

STEAMSHIP BENZVORLICH.

FROM ANTWERP, MIDDLESEX, LONDON & STRAITS.

DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

In consequence of the recent increase in the cost of Magnesia, the price per ton will be increased by £1.00 per ton.

Sales and most effective agent for Regular Use.

The Universal Remedy for Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Bow Eructations, Bilious Affections.

The Universal Remedy for Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Bow Eructations, Bilious Affections.

COCOA

D. & M. GROOTES BROTHERS WESTZAAN
(HOLLAND)

ESTABLISHED 1825.

This PURE SOLUBLE DUTCH COCOA

Supplied to the Royal Courts of Holland and Austria.
ABSOLUTELY PURE.

Recommended by the Medical Faculty for its Digestive Qualities.

ECONOMICAL (Quarter pound, Tin makes twenty-five breakfast cups).

SPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR INVALIDS.
Recognised by THIRTY-EIGHT Medals and EIGHT Honourable Mentions.

Packed in one pound, half pound and quarter pound Tins.

FOR SALE AT ALL STORES,

AND AT

Messrs SINCERE & CO.

and WING ON & CO.

Ask for GROOTES' COCOA!!!

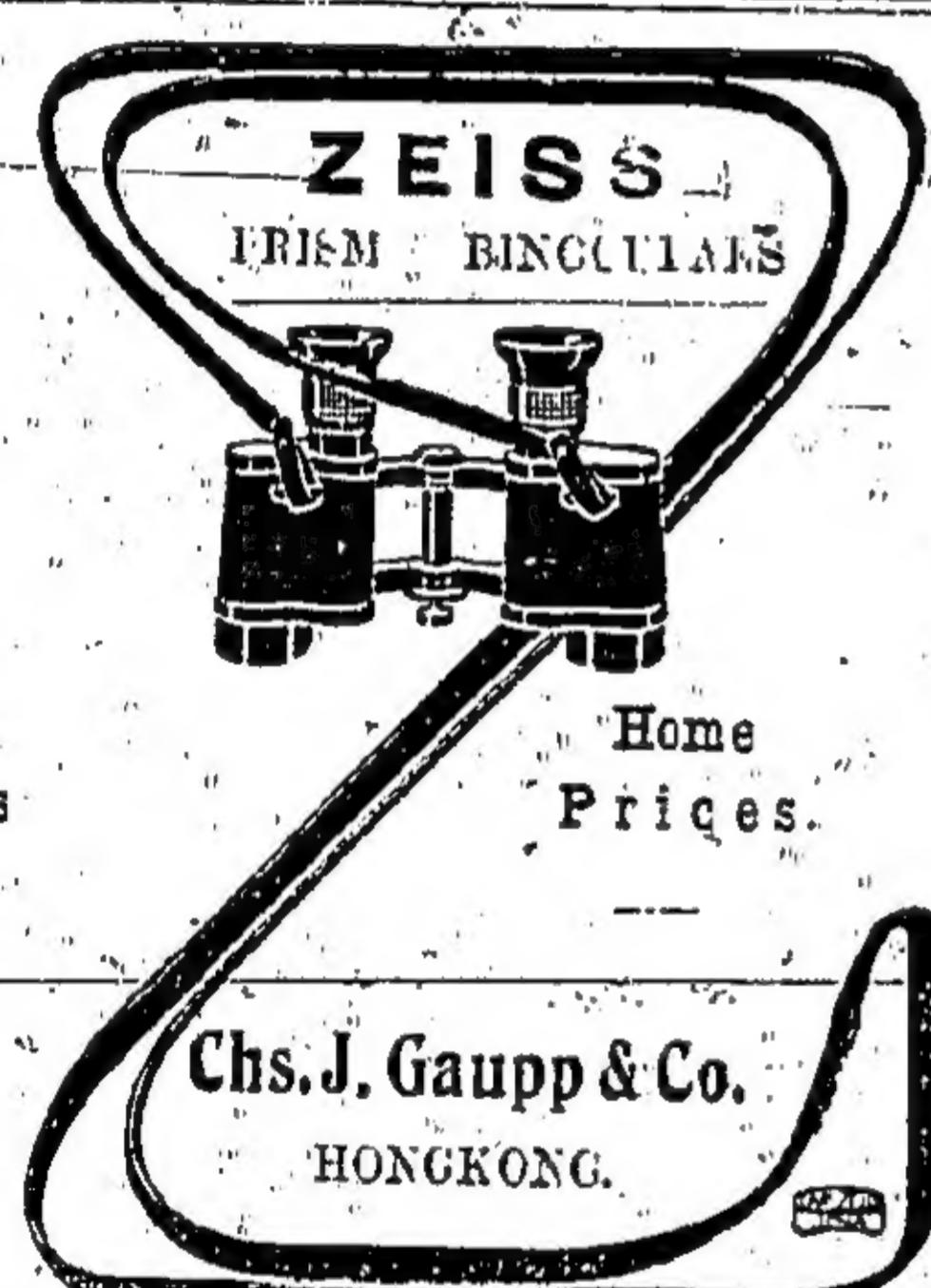
30 cents per 1 pound tin.

SAMPLE tins FREE.

ON APPLICATION TO

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.,
4, DES VŒUX ROAD,

Sole Agents for South China.



New Models

Home Prices.

Chs. J. Gaupp & Co.

HONGKONG.

PHOTOGRAPHIC EQUIPMENT

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The P. & O. N. S. A. with the Siberian Mail is due to arrive here on Friday, the 8th Dec.

Mails will close for:

HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.

Per Malibde, at 8 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

(Taking Mails for Cebu and Iloilo).

HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG.

Per Swatow, at 9 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

Per Iyo Maru, at 10 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

CHENGDU, TEGAL, PELALONGAN, SAMARANG & SORAKABA.

Per Tjapak, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

MOJL.

Per Shidoro Maru, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

SINGAPORE.

Per Shidoro Maru, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

SHANGHAI.

Per Hindoo, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

MOJL.

Per Atoku Maru, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

KORE.

Per Utsuk Maru, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHEW.

Per Hayang, at 10 a.m., on Friday, the 8th Dec.

MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO.

Per Kueichow, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 12th Dec.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Per Tidap, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 9th Dec.

BAKARIA, CHERIBON, SAMARANG & SORAKABA.

Per Tidap, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 9th Dec.

MANILA, ZAMBALANGA, PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, HOBART, LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND, DUNEDIN, MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE, PERTH & FREMANTLE.

Per Eastern, at 11 a.m., on Monday, the 11th Dec.

SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, VICTORIA & SEATTLE.

Per Inabu Maru, at 11 a.m., on Friday, the 8th Dec.

SIBERIAN MAIL to Europe.

Per Malibde, at 8 a.m., on Thursday, the 7th Dec.

MANILA, CEBU & ILOILO.

Per Yunnan, at 1 p.m., on Saturday, the 9th Dec.

SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSU.

Per Dafu Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 10th Dec.

200 WITHOUT HEALTH IS LIVING, DEATH IS LIVING.

WE TARZO, NEVER WORE.

The last discovery of modern times for prevention.

WE TARZO, NEVER WORE.

Acting up the system.

WE TARZO, NEVER WORE.

It is generally given to the system.

WE TARZO, NEVER WORE.

WE TARZO, NEVER WORE.